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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

TO: The Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Box Patent Application  
Washington, DC 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 USC 111(a) and 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 35 USC 371 is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

METHOD FOR LOCATING AN ELEMENT OF INTEREST  
CONTAINED IN A THREE-DIMENSIONAL OBJECT

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If a continuation application:

☐ continuation of prior application Serial No. ☐ division filed ☐ continuation-in-part

Enclosed are:

1. ☒ Filing fee calculated and transmitted as described below - PTO-1390
2. ☒ Specification having twenty-seven (27) pages including the following:
  - a. ☒ Claims numbered from 1 to 21
  - b. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure
  - c. ☒ Drawing (s) as follows:
    - (1) ☐ Formal ☐ Informal
    - (2) Number of Sheets - five (5) with Figures No. 1 to 6
  - d. ☒ Oath or Declaration as follows:
    - (1) ☐ Original and signed
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    - (3) ☐ Copy from prior application Serial No. filed
    - (4) ☒ With Power of Attorney
    - (5) ☐ Without Power of Attorney
3. ☐ Incorporation by Reference (if Box 2d(3) is checked)
4. ☐ Assignment (cover sheet and document)

5. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449

a. ☒ Copies of Cited Documents

6. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

7. ☒ Acknowledgment Postcard

8. ☒ Certificate of Mailing by "Express Mail"

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9. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document

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10. ☐ Verified Statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27

11. ☒ Additional Enclosures as follows:

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b. ☐

12. FEE CALCULATION AND TRANSMITTAL

Claims as Filed

For	No. Filed	No. Extra	Small Entity		Large Entity	
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Ind. Claims	3 =		x \$ 39 =	\$	x \$ 78 =	\$
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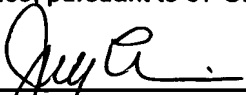
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